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In re Application of: David PHILIPS et al.)
Application No.: 09/801,089) Group Art Unit: 1644
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For: Modulation of Integrin-Mediatral Signal Transduction	}
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 14, line 14 through page 15, line 11, with the following rewritten paragraph:

-In detail, the present invention provides six β subunit peptides possessing a tyrosine residue which can be phosphorylated by a cellular tyrosine kinase. The cytoplasmic domain sequences of each of the characterized β subunits, with the corresponding phosphorylation site identified, are:

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81 subunit: NH-D-T-G-H-N-P-I-Y(PO₃)-K-S-A-V-T-T-V-V-N-P-K-Y(PO₃)-E-G-K-

COOH (SEQ ID NO. 1)

β2 subunit: NH-D-L-R-E-Y(PO₃)-R-R-F-E-K-E-K-L-S-Q-W-N-N-D-N-P-L-F-K-S-A-T-

COOH (SEQ ID NO. 2)

β3 subunit: NH-D-T-Λ-N-P-L-Y(PO₃)-K E Λ T S T F-T N I-T-Y(PO₃)-R-G-T-